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Although it may be true that Microsoft has become the technology leader with regard to operating systems and suite software they are not the only game in town. Linux BE software MAC O/S and other up-start operating systems are available to the consumer. They may not be as popular but Microsoft has just built a better mousetrap to attract users. Why do the liberal socialist zellots have to strike down every blue blooded american following the American Dream to aquire wealth and fame just because they have succeeded. LEAVE MICROSOFT ALONE!!!!!! The open marketplace will eventually solve all problems. Government has no place in commerce and should keep thier hands out of the Darwinian capitalist system.